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ments of the W. C. T. U. at the head-quarters, 522 6th street northwest, yesterday afternoon. Dr. Wiley urged sim-ple and wholesome foods. Included in diet which he said would do much to a diet which he said would do much to prevent "spring fever" were potatoes, whole-wheat bread, apples and eggs. Dr. Wiley answered many questions after the lecture. The hostesses for the occasion were Hamline, West End and Metropolitan unions, W. C. T. U. and Metropolitan unions, of Dr. Mary Holmes presided.



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U.S. PROPOSAL TO END EUROPEAN BLOCKADES DECLINED BY ALLIES

Germany Indicates Willingness to Negotiate—Text of Diplomatic Correspendence Between Nations.

has passed belween this government and Great Britain and Germany, re-spectively! relative to the declaration of a war zone by the German admiral-ty and the use of neutral flags by British merchant vessels, this governmen ventures to express the hope that the

The government of the United States respectfully suggests that an agreement in terms like the following might be entered into. This suggestion is not to be regarded as in any sense a proposal made by this government, for it, of course, fully recognizes that it is not its privilege to propose terms of agreement between Great Britain and Germany, even though the matter be one in which it and the people of the United States are directly and deeply interested.

The following identic note was sent by the Secretary of State to the American ambassadors at London and Berlin:

"Washington, February 20, 1915.
"You will please deliver to Sir Education of the purpose of dispersion of the purpose of the purp

Germany to Concede.

"Germany to agree:

"That all importations of food or foodstuffs from the United States (and from such other, neutral countries as may ask it) into Germany shall be consigned to agencies to be designated by the United States government; that these American agencies shall have entire charge and control without interference on the part of the German government of the receipt and distribution of such importations, and shall distribute them solely to retail dealers bearing licenses from the German government entitling them to receive and furnish such food and foodstuffs to noncombatants only; that any violation of the terms of the retailers' licenses shall work a forfeiture of their rights to receive such food and foodstuffs will not be requisitioned by the German government for any purpose whatsoever or he diverted to the use of the armed forces of Germany.

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GERMANY ASSENTS TO OFFER, IMPOSING CERTAIN CONDITIONS

American ambassador at Berlin, follows:

"Berlin, March 1, 1915.
"The undersigned has the honor to inform his excellency Mr. James W. Gerard, ambassador of the United States of America, in reply to the note of the 22d ultimo that the imperial German government have taken note with great interest of the suggestion of the American government that certain principles for the conduct of maritime war on the part of Germany and England be agreed upon for the protection of neutral shipping. They see time war on the part of Germany and ernment appears to be in general acceptable of the friendly fection of neutral shipping. They see therein new evidence of the friendly feetings of the American government toward the German government, which are fully reciprocated by Germany.

"It is in accordance with Germany's wishes also to have maritime war conducted according to rules which without discriminately restricting one or the other of the belligerent powers in the use of their means of warfare are equally considerate of the interests of neutrals and the dictates of humanity.

"It is in accordance with Germany's way of neutral ports. The German government would, therefore, he willing to make the declarations of the nature provided in the American note so that the use of the imported food and foodstuffs solely by the non-combatant population would be guaranteed.

Must Have Forage.

"The imperial government must, humanity. numanity.

humanity.
"Consequently it was intimated in
the German note of the 16th ultimo
that observation of the declaration of
London on the part of Germany's adversaries would create a new situation
from which the German government ould gladly draw the proper conclu-

"Proceeding from this view the German government have carefully examined the suggestion of the American government and believe that they can actually see in it a suitable basis for the practical solution of the questions which have arisen.

marines to attack inercantile of any flag except when necessary to enforce the right of visit and search. Should the enemy nationality of the vessel or the presence of contraband be ascertained submarine would proceed in accordance with the general rules of international law.

The to see what obligations the British government are on their part willing to assume.

"The undersigned avails himself of this occasion, etc. VON JAGOW."

Tated foreign office, Berlin, February 28, 1915.

"Apparent omission."

"The imperial government must, however, in addition • • • (*) having the importation of other raw material used by the economic system of mitted. To that end the enemy governments would have to permit the free entry into Germany of the raw material mentioned in the free list of the declaration of London, and to treat madeclaration of London, and to treat ma-terials included in the list of condi-tional contraband according to the same principles as food and foodstuffs.

"The German government venture to hope that the agreement for which

which have arisen.

Berlin Observations.

"With regard to the various points of the American note they beg to make the following remarks:

"First—With regard to the sowing of mines, the German government would be willing to agree, as suggested, not to use floating mines and to have anchored mines constructed as indicated. Moreover, they agree to put the stamp of the government on all mines to be planted. On the other hand, it does not appear to them to be feasible for the belligerents wholly to forego the use of anchored mines for offensive purposes.

"Second—The German government would undertake not to use their submarines to attack mercantile of any flag except when necessary to enforce the view of visit and search. Should ing to assume."

"The German government have paved the way may be reached after due consideration of the remarks made above, and that in this way peaceable neutral shipping and trade will not have to suffer any more than is absolutely necessary from the unavoidable effects of maritime war. These effects could be still further reduced of, as was pointed out in the German note of the 16th instant, some way could be found to exclude the shipping of munitions of war from neutral countries to belligerents on ships of any nationality.

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CORDON OF BRITISH CRUISERS WILL MAKE BLOCKADE EFFECTIVE

The reply of Great Britain to the American note of February 22, suggesting that foods for German civilians be allowed to pass unmolested, when the company of the British government of the United States. "This being so, it might appear unnecessary for the British government." was not made until last Monday. Or that date the foreign office at London handed to Ambassador Page its an swer, and he cabled to the State De-

partment as follows: "Following is the full text of a mem orandum dated March 13, which Grey

handed me today "'On the 22d of February last I received a communication from your ex-cellency of the identic note addressed to his majesty's government and to ermany, respecting an agreement on war at sea. The reply of the German overnment to this note has been pub lished and it is not understood from are prepared to abandon the practice of sinking British merchant vessels by submarines and it is evident from their reply that they will not abandon the use of mines for offensive purposes on the high seas as contrasted with the use of mines for defensive purposes





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yond doubt.

"Some evidence has been received of the hardships to which British prisoners of war are subjected in the prison camps contrasting, we believe, most unfavorably with the treatment of German prisoners in this country. We have proposed, with the consent of the United States government, that a commission of United States officers should be permitted in each country to inspect the treatment of prisoners of war. The United States government has been unable to obtain any reply

from the German government to this proposal, and we remain in continuing anxiety and apprehension as to the treatment of British prisoners of war

Germans Laid Mines in High Seas. "'Third-At the very outset of the

ered laying a mine fleld on the high laid from time to time without warning, nd, so far as we know, are still being laid on the high seas, and many neutra

'Fourth-At various times during the war German submarines have stopped and sunk British merchant vessels thus making the sinking of merchant thus making the sinking of merchant vessels a general practice, though it was admitted previously, if at all, only as an exception, the general rule to which the British government has adhered being that merchant vessels, if captured, must be taken before a prize court. In one case, already quoted in a note to the United States government, a neutral vessel carrying foodstuffs to an unfortified town in Great Britain has been sunk.

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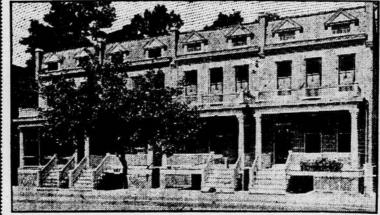
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